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GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Dept., of GVWV & VSWS – Ratification of the action taken by the Director, GV/WV & VS/WS, Vijayawada for transacting through the bank accounts instead of PD Account and utilisation of Rs.428.13 crores to the administrative expenses and also release of Rs.93.50 crore to AP Bulk Drug Infrastructure Corporation Ltd. – Orders – Issued.

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DEPARTMENT OF GRAM VOLUNTEERS / WARD VOLUNTEERS & VILLAGE SECRETARIATS / WARD SECRETARIATS

G.O.Rt.No.06 Date:23.02.2024

Read the following:

1. G.O.Ms.No.2, Dt:16.06.2020 of GVWV & VSWS Department.,Dt:16.06.2020
2. From the Director, GSWS, Vijayawada vide e-file bearing computer No.2329680.

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ORDER

In the G.O. first read above, Government permitted the GVWV & VSWS Department to collect service charges as per the existing ESD-MeeSeva rates, for both G2C & B2C services, which will be deposited in an exclusive PD Account under the control of Commissioner / Director of GV/WV & VS/WS. This shall be subject to the condition that all the Operational expenses / Recurring expenditure of Village & Ward Secretariats including current & water charges, cost of stationery & consumables cost of hardware & software, cost of electronic devices & maintenance, mobile connectivity charges of the Ward / Village Secretaries &Volunteers, etc., is met from this fund for the existing Meeseva centres & the centres proposed to be established in the Village / Ward Secretariats.

2. The Director, GSWS in the reference 2nd read above has stated that Department of GSWS is a newly created department which is entrusted with delivery and monitoring of 38 welfare schemes connected with 20 departments which is a herculean task. The department is also entrusted with responsibility of delivery of benefits of welfare schemes as per the schedule of welfare calendar prescribed by the Government. All the activities taken up are in the wider interest of the Public. Every charge that is collected is prudently utilized for the delivery of the services and providing conducive work environment to the secretariat functionaries, that is by providing office infrastructure, Hardware, software and internet connectivity, uniform, posters, beneficiaries list, social audit, Display boards, Identity Cards, Mobile phones, secured stationery, HR, Professional services support etc.,

3. Hence, the Director, GSWS, Vijayawada has requested the Government for ratification of action taken on transacting through the bank accounts instead of PD account and utilization of Rs.428.13 crores to the administrative expenses to the smooth functioning of Secretariat system, timely implementation of the programs and providing proper services to the citizens in view of permission given by the

Government in G.O.Ms.No.2, Dt:16.06.2020 of GVWV & VSWS Department and also release of Rs.93.50 crore to AP Bulk Drug Infrastructure Corporation Ltd.

4. Government after careful examination of the request of the Director, GSWS, Vijayawada, hereby ratify the action taken by the Director, GSWS, Vijayawada as follows:

I. Transacting through the bank accounts instead of PD account due to delay in release of funds from PD account and urgency of payments for the smooth functioning of the secretariat system for implementation of various programs;
II. Utilisation of Rs.428.13 crores for the administrative expenses for the smooth functioning of Secretariat system, timely implementation of the programs and providing proper services to the citizens in view of permission given by the Government in G.O.Ms.No.2, Dt:16.06.2020 of GVWV & VSWS Department and
III. Release of Rs.93.50 crore to AP Bulk Drug Infrastructure Corporation Ltd.

5. The Director, GSWS, Vijayawada is directed to ensure that all the procurement rules and guidelines have been followed scrupulously for incurring the above expenditure towards hardware, software, other IT related services and advance to Collectors etc., He shall get both internal and external audit done to ensure that the funds are utilised properly and judiciously . He is also directed to reconcile all the advances made for various purposes.

6. The Director, GSWS, Vijayawada shall take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

AJAY JAIN
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (FAC)

To
The Director, GSWS, Vijayawada.
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The P.S. to Hon'ble Dy. CM for PR & RD.
The P.S. to Hon'ble Minister for MA & UD.
The OSD to Chief Secretary to Govt.,
The P.S. to Additional Secretary to Hon'ble CM.
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S. Mary Ratnamani
SECTION OFFICER.